

## 2020 MS Vaccines for Children Handbook

### Gist of Changes

#### **Section 1; Pages 6-7: Vaccine Administration Fees and Fee Caps**

- Added: The vaccine administration Medicaid fee cap is \$10 for non-Primary Care Enhanced providers. The administration fee for Primary Care Enhanced Providers can be located at:  
<https://medicaid.ms.gov/wp-content/uploads/2014/03/IncreasePCP.pdf>
- Added: Policy to include verbiage regarding one-time billing of administration fees and not sending unpaid administration fees to collections

#### **Section 3; Page 14: VFC Provider Eligibility**

- Added: Verbiage to include not denying administration of VFC vaccine for a balance of unpaid administration fees

#### **Section 4; Page 18: Added heading - Vaccine Compromised During Shipment**

- Removed box about Vaccine Compromised During Shipment and added verbiage of who to contact with the phone numbers regarding compromised vaccine.

#### **Section 4; page 18: Daily Temperature Monitoring and Recording**

- Changed verbiage regarding using a paper temperature log or electronic document
- Added: Policy to include providers must maintain temperature documentation for 3 years.

#### **Section 4; Page 21: Vaccine Ordering**

- Added: Policy to include verbiage regarding any changes to the provider's facility address or day/hours of operation must be communicated to the MSDH Immunization Program

#### **Section 4; Page 22: Vaccine Borrowing Documentation**

- Added: Verbiage to include CHIP vaccine

#### **Section 4; Pages 22-23: Vaccine Restitution**

- Added: Agency's restitution policy

#### **Section 4; Page 24: Off-Site and Mass Vaccination Clinic Vaccine Handling and Preparation**

- Added: Contact MSDH Immunization program for additional information